

Motion picture trade reports say the box office has slipped this Summer and Fall, and they are blaming it on the competition of television.

A Wall Street Journal dispatch from the convention of Allied States Association of Motion Picture Exhibitors, held in Pittsburgh, Pa., this week, deals heavily with what happened to theater business the night Joe Louis fought Ezzard Charles.

Du Mont has a television network station in Pittsburgh, the champion fight was televised, of course — and one theater man said he sold only eight tickets during the time the bout was on the air.

What we are witnessing here is the debut of a new entertainment technique — but that doesn't mean the theater business has gone to pot. They said the same thing about radio that they are now saying about television — it would put the movies out of business. And both radio and television were going to put the newspapers out of commission, too.

Well, let me tell you something: I'm fresh back from a vacation in the East. On the return trip I spent the night in Zanesville, Ohio. After checking in at the hotel and eating dinner I went out to see a new movie, "Tea for Two," starring Doris Day and Gordon MacRae — a grand musical show (incidentally, it's coming to the Saenger this week-end.)

Back at the hotel I caught a few minutes of television. The program was the corniest of broken-down vaudeville acts. It was coming out of Columbus, 55 miles west, and the signal was bad — the screen either flashing intermittently or managing to look like a window — pane with rain shimmering down it.

The contrast was pretty awful. It stands to reason you're not going to get free over television the same quality entertainment that you pay for in a theater. Television will sweep everything in sports, of course. But so did radio. A World Series or a championship match is poison to a theater — but these are only incidental events.

Basically the movies offer to all America the same quality entertainment you will find on the New York legitimate stage — and when you see "Tea for Two" at the Saenger this week-end you'll know what I'm talking about.



NEW YORK CENTRAL TRAIN DERAILED — General view of the wrecked cars of the New York Central passenger train bound for Chicago as they lay burning in the Erie, Pennsylvania, yards. The passenger train ploughed into a derailed freight train injuring 25 passengers on the westbound limited. (NEA Telephoto)



Governor Sid McMath is pictured above addressing a large audience in the Third District Livestock Show coliseum. The governor sounded a probable "tax increase" note in listing present and proposed improvements which the administration has planned for the state of Arkansas. It was his 5th year to visit the local show and as usual he got the spirit and donned cowboy regalia.

Crushing Defeat for Communism in Austria

Vienna, Austria, Oct. 6 — (AP) — Communism today suffered one of its most crushing recent defeats in Europe as Austria returned to normal after two days of Red terror.

Trains were running on schedule again. Street cars operated unhindered, and 50,000 striking Reds went back to work.

Ten days of Communist efforts to foment a general strike to terrorize the country, to isolate its capital and perhaps to set up a rump government were abandoned at midnight.

The Communist leaders called off their ineffective two-day old general strike and within minutes Red demonstrators took down barricades which yesterday closed all but one of Vienna's main rail lines and froze traffic from the capital into the Soviet zone.

The Reds gave up in the face of calm resistance by the rest of the Austrians, who since the 12th century have sat at the crossroads of the East and West and repeatedly have thrown back eastern aggression.

The bulk of the country's laborers ignored the Communist strike call. The non-Communists courageously battled fanatic young Reds for control of factories, power plants, transport facilities and government buildings.

The Reds said they called off their strike because of "western pressure."

A purge of Red leadership was definitely in the cards as a result of the fiasco. But that was of secondary importance. More important was that Austria would safely remain the West's easternmost stronghold on the fringes of Russia's defense line in Europe.

The failure of the Communist attempt showed that only direct aggression by Russia might win this country to the Red fold. This the Soviets apparently were not ready for.

Although Soviet troops and commandos aided the terrorist campaign, the Russians carefully avoided any action that might have caused international incident.

British Shy Off of Europe Pooling Plan

Margate, Eng., Oct. 6 — (AP) — Britain's Labor party voted almost unanimously today to steer clear of the Schuman plan to pool Europe's coal and steel. The plan was named for its originator, French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman.

The party, at its annual conference, turned down the idea of Britain's entry into such a plan — as has the Labor-ruled government previously — because it would require them to give up some sovereignty in controlling the nation's industries to a supranational European federative body.

"We do not intend to let the control of the British coal and steel industries go out of British hands," said Hugh Dalton, a member of the party's executive and of the British cabinet.

But Dalton said Britain is ready to take practical steps to achieve cooperation with other countries in these industries. Britain's coal industry is state-owned, and the steel industry will pass under government control early next year.

Cotton Gamble by Some May Now Pay Off

Washington, Oct. 6 — (AP) — Cotton farmers who planned in excess of government-imposed cotton acreage allotments last spring in hopes of a price rise may have won their gamble.

The gamble was that the rise in price would exceed the penalty they would have to pay on cotton raised on the excess acreage.

This is the picture: The cotton allotment act gives each cotton farmer an acreage allotment. If he plants more acres to cotton than he is allotted, he must pay a penalty on the cotton produced on the excess acreage. This year the penalty amounts to 15.5 cents a pound — on \$7.75 a bale of 500 pounds.

This penalty must be paid before the farmer can market any of his cotton — excess or otherwise.

Since the Korean war started, the price of cotton has risen and agriculture department officials say it has reached a point where a grower might be able to pay the penalty and still make money on his excess cotton. Cotton, they say, is around 40 cents a pound now and many growers can make a profit at 25 cents net.

The 1950 acreage allotments, the July 15 estimated plants, and the per cent of the allotment planted (acres) included:

Arkansas 1,102,000, per cent 88, planted 1,720,000, per cent 88.

Moss Rowe to Head County Farm Bureau

Moss Rowe of Washington was elected president of the Hempstead County Farm Bureau for 1951 at the monthly Board of Directors meeting last night.

Mr. Rowe is a alfalfa, cotton, and livestock producer on the south fork of Ozark Creek. He has been active in Farm Bureau several years. Mr. Rowe also takes an active interest in church, lodge, school, and other community and county activities.

Mr. Rowe replaces Ury McKenzie of Shaver Spring, who has actively headed Farm Bureau in the county the last two years. Mr. McKenzie has led the organization in its efforts to correct inequities in cotton allotment which resulted in an increase of more than 8,000 acres to Hempstead County farmers as well as additional acres to farmers over South Arkansas.

Mr. McKenzie serves on the State Farm Bureau Health Committee which has assisted in establishing the Blue Cross-Blue Shield plan of hospital and surgical care, making it available to Hempstead County and Arkansas farm families. He led the local drive among farmers in the establishment of the Arkansas Farmers plant food company at North Little Rock, a \$400,000 plant that produced 14 per cent of the fertilizer used in Arkansas during its first year of operation active in County and continuing active in County and State Farm Bureau activities.

Oscar Hobbitt, Route 3, Hope, was elected by the Board of Directors to serve as vice-president. William Shockey of Hope was re-elected treasurer and Ivan Bright of Rocky Mount was re-elected secretary.

Plans were made for an active year with a committee of farm members to be designated for each phase of the year's program. The County Farm Bureau will be represented at the State Convention in Little Rock on November 21st and 22nd and at the American Farm Bureau Convention at Dallas, December 10-14.

Shattered Reds Offer Slight Resistance to Advancing UN Forces

U. S. to Turn Down British Arms Plan

Washington, Oct. 6 — (AP) — The United States is about to turn down a three-year British rearmament program calling for approximately \$1,500,000,000 in free American aid.

A note is being drafted at the state department which would rule out any long-term commitment to Britain until specific plans have been agreed upon by all 12 North Atlantic pact nations.

Department officials said last night the note will specify that the United States believes an "interim arrangement" is all that can be decided upon now.

Officials who have been studying the British proposal for nearly two months indicated they believe the amount asked by Britain is too large in view of the results that can be expected.

They hold the view that the rearmament program should be tackled by stages, and that no long-range planning can be entered into with individual countries until each treaty member knows in detail what and how much it must produce for the common defense against Communist aggression.

Britain is reported anxious to use some American dollar aid if needed to build up her gold and dollar reserves. The United States stands in this is reported to be that such an arrangement would violate the arms aid bill by congress, and that there must be a strict accounting of every dollar spent to boost arms production.

Hugh Gaitskell, British minister for economic affairs, is believed ready to discuss this point in detail when he arrives in the United States next week for informal talks.

South Korean Soldiers Find People to North in Shreds, Tatters Under Communist Rule

By HAL BOYLE
North Korea — (AP) — The South Korean soldier now in the land of his Red military enemy finds North Koreans a people in shreds and tatters after five years of Communist rule.

He also finds the North Korean civilians don't act like people who are losing a war. He walks under several hurriedly raised victory arches of logs and pine boards spanning the road.

It comes to a small village. The Red North Koreans had used it as a checkpoint to search vehicles coming from the south. But the crude log road barriers now are lifted and point skyward. The road north is clear.

A group of villagers, happy that the war is sweeping beyond them, stand by the roadside. They cheer and wave South Korean flags as the army stragglers go by. But when the crowded trucks rumble through they raise both hands time after time, and shout "man-zai! man-zai!" it is the Korean equivalent of the Japanese "ban-zai" victory cry.

If the stragglers were tanks they would get even louder "man-zai!" than the trucks do. For in the orient power is admired even more than in the western world. But on this day no tanks are going up this road.

The ROK soldier sees that after five years of Communist rule, that boasted it would help the workers, these villagers are even more ragged than the peasants of South Korea. There are more children with open sores on their heads. There are more with diseased eyes. And there are few young farmers in the holiday crowd. They are in the fields harvesting each small patch of rice as it matures, for there is hunger here.

A young girl runs out and sticks a cluster of white and purple wild flowers in the soldier's helmet. She hands him some brown chestnuts and a ripe persimmon, golden as the Indian summer sun and not much smaller than a tennis ball. He guns at her in wondering surprise. Then he shuffles on, drenching his dry mouth with the pulp of the persimmon.

The sun is almost down as he shuffles into Yangyang, the first large enemy town captured by the ROKs. The townspeople are weary of cheering and have given away all their flowers. The edge of elation has been dulled and they do not fear any great harm from this army from the south. They are now selling their persimmons and chestnuts to the troops.

The soldier looks at the trenches dug in the streets by the retreating

By RUSSELL BRINES

Tokyo, Oct. 6 — (AP) — South Korean troops punched 20 miles deeper into Communist North Korea today on the east coast while other Allied forces massed for the expected big push to the Red heartland.

The forward South Koreans were more than 75 miles beyond parallel 38, the border where they had crossed into enemy territory last Sunday.

Arrayed below the boundary was the bulk of the poised 175,000 United Nations troops. Air and naval support was at the ready for an offensive.

Another vice apparently was being forced to crush the remnants of the reeling Reds — officially estimated by MacArthur's head-quarters to have suffered 200,000 casualties since their June 25 invasion.

Forty thousand of the Red manpower losses were listed as war prisoners of the Allies.

The other casualties admittedly included some duplications. This means a man might have been wounded, removed and then returned to battle, wounded again and pressed into action again.

MacArthur spokesman declined to speculate on how many of the Red casualties were dead men.

The Reds' heaviest losses of men — and material — have been suffered since Sept. 15 when the Allies leaped to the offensive climaxed by the liberation of Seoul and entrapment of Red divisions in the south.

Of the 40,000 Communist prisoners-of-war, 14,028 were listed as taken in three days this week. This presumably was in the continuing mopping up of straggler bands widely scattered in the south and around Seoul.

The deep plunge into North Korea on the east coast was reported by AP Correspondent William Jordan, traveling with the South Koreans.

Jordan said the South Korean

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Reds for a last-ditch stand they never made. He looked at roof tops covered with shrubbery to hide enemy command posts from Allied airmen.

Two ROK medics walk by carrying a badly wounded man on a litter. His eyes are closed, his face is pale. If he has to be operated on and if morphine is available he will get it. If there isn't any morphine, the medics will pin him down forcibly during the operation.

A captured Red firewagon full of laughing troops rolls past. Three North Korean trucks retaken from the North Koreans. Another ROK girl in uniform nearby is wearing an American A3-caliber pistol.

But the dust-covered Korean doughboy has no eyes for pretty girls. He joins a line waiting to receive the evening rice ration and he waits in stolid silence.

A rifle slips from the hands of a ROK private in a crowded truck. It falls beneath the wheels and the barrel is badly bent. Before the truck can stop a ROK officer leaps out of the truck and the private does too.

The officer reaches the rifle first and picks it up. He unleashes a wild torrent of abuse and then turns the rifle around and smashes the butt into the private's left shoulder. He does this five times and puts all his power into every blow.

The private is knocked back each time but neither lurches nor shows pain. Nor do the faces of the men in the truck or in the chow line show either anger or surprise. This is an oriental army. They know a man who carelessly ruins a weapon is lucky to escape a rifle butt blow on his skull. Weapons are precious — life is not.

The truck moves on. The doughboy finally gets his rice ball wrapped in seaweed. He wolfs it down hungrily.

He has seen no fighting but he has walked all day and he is lonesome. But he still hasn't caught up with his own outfit. He sees two other sleeping ROK infantrymen huddled together for warmth on the porch of a hut.

He sits to a sitting position on the porch. He slowly begins to lift his head and before his bent little body has straightened out he is fast asleep.

Tomorrow at dawn he will be up and shuffling again up the long road that leads to stone after stone, to beyond the vanished frontier of the 38th parallel to the Manchurian border. Only when his army is halted at that border will all Korea be united — and he will be free to rest.

Full Approval of U. S. Korea Plan Expected

New York, Oct. 6 — (AP) — The full United Nations assembly meets today to give thunderous approval to an American-backed resolution containing clear but implied permission for Gen. MacArthur to cross the 38th parallel.

The resolution, which passed the all-important political committee Wednesday, 47-5, also contains a blueprint for Korea's future as a ward of the United Nations. Wednesday's vote assured a triumph for the west today.

Only the 5-nation Soviet bloc opposed the plan in committee. Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky is expected to rise today to continue the fight against the resolution, which is formally sponsored by Britain and seven other countries.

Any Vishinsky tirade is expected to increase the fervor with which the nations who have backed U. N. action against aggression in Korea will support the eight-power proposal as the logical consequence of that action.

The eight powers officially sponsoring the resolution are Britain, Australia, Cuba, Brazil, the Philippines, the Netherlands, Norway and Pakistan.

The Soviet union introduced a rival plan in committee, but it was overwhelmingly defeated by the majority of countries.

Vishinsky is expected to argue today in favor of his own plan, but there is no reason to believe that it will meet with any more favor.

The two Korean peace proposals are superficially alike, but delegates have pointed out that the resemblance is only in language and not in purpose.

The eight-power proposal calls for:

1. Establishment of a unified, independent and Democratic Korea, including elections under U. N. auspices.

2. U. N. forces to take all appropriate steps to ensure conditions of stability through Korea but should not remain longer than that to achieve united government. This was taken to mean that those forces could pursue North Korean aggressors anywhere in the country, north or south of the 38th parallel.

3. Economic rehabilitation of Korea. Supporting delegations hope Korea will be a "pilot project" to show what the U. N. can do in this line.

4. A new U. N. commission of seven members to see that the plan's provisions are carried out. Six members — Australia, Chile, the Netherlands, Pakistan, the Philippines and Turkey — are named in the resolution. The seventh place was left open for India, but there was strong doubt today that this most influential of Asian countries would accept appointment.

Presbyterian Women to Hold Conference

The annual Business Women's Conference of the Presbyterian women of Ouachita Presbytery will be held at the First Presbyterian Church of Hope this coming Sunday, October 8th. Mrs. Howard Prichard of Hope, who is District Chairman, will preside at this meeting.

Delegates to this conference will arrive Sunday morning and attend the morning worship service at the church. A dinner will be served at the Barlow Hotel at 12:30 after which there will be an afternoon session at the church.

The following program has been prepared:

Worship: Mrs. Paul Klipsch, Hope; Prayer: Mrs. H. B. Barr, Hope; Evangelism for Everybody: Mrs. Round table discussion, Book review, The Changing South and The Presbyterian Church, Mrs. R. E. Jackson, Hope; Book Review, Beside the Heartstone: Mrs. Robert Wiseman, Texarkana; Enlightened My Mind—Let Us Go Forth: Mrs. T. E. Logan, Prescott.

All members of the local Business Women's Group are urged to attend this conference.

The French engineer Lenoir built the first known internal-combustion engine automobile.

Hope Students Attend Meet on Journalism

Thirty-one local high school journalism students and staff members of the Hope Hi-Lights, school newspaper, are attending a one-day press meet at Magnolia, A. and M. College. They were accompanied by Mrs. Lawrence Martin, journalism teacher and sponsor of the Hope Hi-Lights.

About 200 journalism students from other towns in Southwest Arkansas are attending the meet, where discussions on news stories, features, sports writing, make-up, headlines, pictures, and advertising were held.

Instructors, all of whom are from the University of Arkansas, are W. J. Lemke, head of the journalism Department and executive secretary of the Arkansas High School Press Association, J. A. Thalheimer, associate professor of journalism, and Edsel Ford, editor of the A H S P A Bulletin.

Those attending from Hope are Caroline Hawthorne, Tawanna Green, Marilyn Shiver, Jerry Bowden, Sydney McMath, Bobby Phippen, Anita Copeland, Jim Edwards, Jo Ann Shields, Betty Miller, Martha Wray, Betty Ross, Nancy Hays, Wilma Coleman, Kelly Marlar, Bobbie Smith, Loretha Ward, Jean Nash, Jennie Sue Allen, Dorothy Mullins, Minella Berry, Billy John Burke, Thalia Chism, Bob McPherson, Betty Sanders, Vincents Willett, Juanita Billings, Dorothy Lee Hulse, Bob Bishop, Roberta Howard, Wanda Spears, and Mrs. Martin.

FTA Club Names Officers for School Year

Officers for the Irma Dean Club of Future Teachers of America of Hope High School have been elected for the year 1950-51.

They are: Martha Wray, president; Anita Copeland, vice-president; Nancy Hays, secretary; Betty Roberts, treasurer; Caroline Hawthorne, program chairman; and Wilma Coleman, historian.

The members plan to have a day of practice teaching and observation in the elementary schools, departures on October 3.

Sponsors of the club are Miss Clarice Brown, speech and English instructor, and Horace Hubbard, vocational guidance director.

Lewis' Reply to President Scathing

Washington, Oct. 6 — (AP) — If he were the only one to catch it, John L. Lewis would be in a hot spot. The statement was made by the union leader in a scathing reply to President Truman's charge that he was a "tax increase" note in listing present and proposed improvements which the administration has planned for the state of Arkansas. It was his 5th year to visit the local show and as usual he got the spirit and donned cowboy regalia.

Brannan Plan Losing Favor Says Barkley

Milwaukee, Oct. 6 — (AP) — The Brannan farm plan for the support of agriculture, says Vice President Barkley, is losing favor with the administration.

The first indication that the plan is losing favor might be seen in the fact that the present election campaign, Barkley told a news conference.

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Lifelong Hope Resident Dies at Age of 80

John Jones, 80-year-old Hope native, died Wednesday at his home. He was survived by his wife, two daughters, two sons, two sisters and three brothers. Funeral services will be held Monday, October 9, at 2 p.m. at Bethel C.M.E. Church.

SOCIETY

Phone 1268 or 1269 Between 8 A. M. and 4 P. M.

Monday, Oct. 9

The Ladies of the Shover Springs Baptist church will meet at the church at 2 p. m. Monday to organize a ladies auxiliary. Two existing auxiliaries have been invited to meet with them, and to present the program. All members of the church and all visitors are welcome.

The Woman's Missionary Society will meet at 2:30 p. m. at the First Baptist church. All members are to be present.

The Sunbeams, and Junior R. A.'s of the First Baptist church will meet at the First Baptist church at 4 p. m. Monday.

The Junior G. A.'s will meet at the First Baptist church for installation services and installation of officers, at 4 p. m. Monday.

The Intermediate G. A.'s will meet at 4:45 p. m. Monday, at the First Baptist church.

The Circles of the Women of the First Presbyterian church will meet Monday, October 9 as follows:

Circle 1, Mrs. C. Lewis, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. Tom McElroy for a pot luck luncheon at 12:30 p. m.

Circle 2, Mrs. A. E. Stonequist, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. Will Ed Waller, with Mrs. Cliff Stewart, co-hostess at 2:30 p. m.

Circle 3, Mrs. Theo Long, chairman, will meet at the home of Mrs. Jim McKenzie, with Mrs. Olin Lewis, co-hostess.

Circle 4, Mrs. Lester Hobbs, chairman, will meet with Mrs. David Davis, with Mrs. David Davis, Jr. co-hostess at 7:30 p. m.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist church will meet Monday, October 9, at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Lawrence Martin. Mrs. Olga Anderson will be co-hostess.

The Womens Council of the First Christian church will have its monthly business and missionary meeting in the church parlor, at 3:30 p. m. Monday. For the program, circle 2 will have the devotional and

Mrs. Robert Rider will give the fourth lesson in the study course, "Strong Son of God."

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Garrett Memorial Baptist church will meet at 2 p. m. Monday.

The Spiritual Life Group of the Methodist church will meet at the church at 2:40 p. m. Monday. Following this meeting, all members of the W. S. C. S. will meet in a union service.

Tuesday, October 10

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Unity Baptist church will meet at 2 p. m. Tuesday, with Mrs. Jesse Sinclair as president. The meeting will be held at the church.

Tuesday, October 10

The choir of the First Presbyterian church will practice at the church at 7 p. m. Tuesday, October 10.

Dick Erwin Talks

on "Growing Flowers"

Mrs. L. B. Tooley, and Mrs. Walter Sims were hostesses to members of the Gardenia Garden club, Wednesday afternoon, October 4 at the home of Mrs. Tooley on South Main Street. The Tooley home was beautifully decorated with arrangements of fall flowers.

Mrs. W. W. Andrews, president, presided over the business session, after which Mrs. Tooley presented the program. Mrs. Tooley introduced Dick Erwin, who gave an interesting talk on "Growing Flowers". Mr. Erwin presented each member of the club with a lovely potted plant.

In the flower arrangement scene Mrs. Howard Byers, and Mrs. Charles Wylie tied for first place. Mrs. Gus Haynes placed second. The hostesses served a delicious dessert plate during the social hour.

P. T. A. Executive

Committee Meets

The executive board of the Hope High School P. T. A. met on Thursday afternoon in the home of the secretary, Mrs. Catherine Richards Howard, at which meeting eleven members were present. Reports were made by the program chairman, the membership chairman,

and the finance chairman. A committee was appointed to assist the budget and finance chairman.

A decision was reached to give the annual talent show on the night of December 8th. It was reported that Mrs. Albert Graves has donated two flower baskets to be used on the stage in the high school auditorium. Agreement was reached to hold the first study group meeting in the Home Ec Cottage during the month of November.

An invitation was extended by Mrs. Albert Graves to hold the next meeting of the executive board in her home.

The meeting was closed with a prayer by the President, Mrs. Claud Tilley, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

Coming and Going

Mrs. I. C. Tucker left Thursday for St. Louis, to visit her sister, Mrs. George Harvell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sherman and daughter, Bonnie, have returned to their home in Pittsburg, Pa. after a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sherman, and aunt, Mrs. G. W. Lingo, and Mrs. Lingo.

Communiques

Pvt. William R. Williams, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Williams 915 South Elm St. Hope, has reported to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss. to begin his training in Air Force Radar School.

College Notes

Sterling Keith, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Keith, of Hope, and Billy J. Rettig, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Rettig of Prescott, Ark. have been named to the cast of "Dream Girl", all college play, to be presented Oct. 17-18 by the Masquers Club at Henderson State Teachers college. Keith is a freshman this year. Rettig has been named technical director in the Elmer Rice comedy-fantasy. He is a member of the Pi Kappa Delta honorary fraternity and is active in Heart and Key at Henderson.

Hospital Notes

Branch

Discharged: Mrs. Bob Rowland, McCaskill; Mrs. L. F. Rogers, Rt. 4, Hope; Mrs. Wayne Huckabee, Rt. 1, Hope; Mr. Joe Downs, Hope.

Julia Chesler

Admitted: Mrs. Will Dodson, Hope; Mrs. Ervin Medlock, Rt. 1, Hope; Mrs. Opal Wall Baker, Hope.

Discharged: Vernon Pate, Rt. 2, Hope; Mrs. Thomas McKee & son, Larry Wayne, Rt. 4, Hope; H. E. Lockard, Hope.

Josephine

Admitted: Mrs. Herbert C. Byers, Hope Rt. 4; Miss Patsy Collier, Hope.

Discharged: Miss Elsie Elder, Hope.

Clubs

Victory

The Victory Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. E. C. Calhoun, September 8th with Mrs. Blackwood. Nine old members and four new members, Mrs. Ralph Brown, Mrs. Jess Atkins, Mrs. D. M. Samuels, and Mrs. and Mrs. John Loyd, were present. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Schooley, the creed was repeated, and the group sang the song of the month. The Devotional, Matthew 6: 19-34 was read and followed by prayer by the hostess.

The roll was called and answered by, "The most refreshing food for a hot day". The minutes were read, the business discussed, and plans made for the food booth at the fair. Reports were given by the following leaders: Mrs. Robert Cash, Poultry Leader, and Mrs. E. C. Calhoun, Home Grounds Leader. An interesting demonstration on the importance of milk in the diet was given by Mrs. Lorraine Blackwood, Home Demonstration Agent, in the absence of the food and nutrition leader, Mrs. Howell Guad. Mrs. Blackwood also told of ways people of other countries had of shopping for food.

The hostess served sandwiches, cookies, and cold drinks to all present. The October meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Lacie Rowe.

Opens Sunday at Saenger



DORIS DAY and GORDON MACRAE are backed by a large vocal group in Warner Bros. "TEA FOR TWO," in color by Technicolor.

Opens Sunday at Rialto



ELLA RAINES watches as VAUGHN MONROE goes into action, in a scene from Republic's "SINGING GUNS," in color by Trucolor.

DOROTHY DIX
Breaking the Ice

Dear Dorothy Dix: I am a boy of 18, going to college away from home. I have a fine father and mother and a brother of 20. My father has worked hard and has been fairly successful. He has been very good to us, but he has been so busy he has not had time to talk with my brother and myself about our problems. I long to confide in him, but when I try to talk to him I go dumb. Now I want to talk over the girl proposition with him. He thinks I am too young to go steady with a girl, and that I should go with lots of girls and have lots of friends. He says that I have plenty of time before I should think seriously about girls. But both my brother and I disagree with him on that point. He says I get close enough to my father to tell him anything I want to.

Answer: I doubt if children ever really get to know their fathers well enough to talk freely with them unless they begin their acquaintance when they are babies. If the father has never chummed up with his boy in childhood, a wall of reserve that neither can break down is built up between them. This is a great misfortune to both, for the father is nearly always more anxious for the boy's confidence than the boy is to give it, but he is as paralyzed when it comes to approaching the boy as the boy is when he tries to make advances to him.

Problem is Widespread
It is literally true that there are thousands of children whose only speaking acquaintance with their fathers consists in asking for something. They have never sat down and had a talk with their father in their lives. They have no idea of what Father thinks about anything on earth. It would amaze them beyond measure if they were told that Father would be pleased to death if they would show him the slightest sign of affection; that they would feel more honored if Johnny and Susie would give him their confidence than he would with an audience with the President. No doubt your father feels this way about you. I urge you to take your courage in both hands and tell him just exactly what you have written me. I'll bet he will meet you more than halfway, and, after you have broken the ice, you will find that he is the most understanding person in the world to you.

His advice to you and your brothers about girls is the very best

'Tea for Two'
Opens Sunday
at Saenger

Doris Day is right back where she started as a hooper. For the first time in many years, Doris has gone into her dance for scenes in Warner Bros. romantic musical, "Tea For Two, with handsome Gordon MacRae. The Technicolor film opens at the Saenger Theatre on Sunday.

"Call it progress in reverse," the singing lady happily sighed. "I thought I was through forever with a dancing career when I broke my leg in an automobile accident. Not knowing what else to do, I took vocal lessons. Then look what happened."

When she first signed with the Burbank studio, Doris tentatively listed dancing as one of her accomplishments.

"But I wasn't sure about my

as sure-headed bears. Semistarvation has the same effect on humans as it does on other animals. It makes them snappy and snarly. We have to be well fed in order to be amiable.

Your friend seems to have an aggravated case of living-skeleton complex and I doubt that there is any cure for that, since once a woman gets obsessed with the mania for reducing herself to a bag of bones she is deaf to the warnings of her physician and the pleas of her family and blind to the ravages that malnutrition is making on her looks.

The only suggestion I can make to you about dealing with a woman who is willing to wreck her health and her family in order to be thin is to send for a psychiatrist and have her head examined. Perhaps the idea of sending her to a home for the feeble-minded might jar her into using a little intelligence. If she has any.

Dear Dorothy Dix: I have promised to marry a young man the first of next month. He is the main support of his widowed mother. There are two married daughters, but for some reason she doesn't go to stay with them except for an occasional week end. The mother expects my fiancé to take care of her. He makes a very small salary. I don't mind that, but I don't like the thought of having my mother with us all the time and having to take care of her as she is sick a great deal. What about it?

Answer: I think you should decide this matter very definitely before you marry and have it thoroughly understood whether the man's mother will make her home entirely with him, or if she will divide her time between her daughters.

Don't wait until after you are married and then consider yourself a martyr because you have to take care of a poor old sick woman. Neither don't marry him, or be a sport about it.

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leg even after all this time," she explained. "Then when 'Tea For Two' came along, I was asked if I would like to resume my dancing career, with Gene Nelson as partner. In a week and a half of rehearsals, going for eight hours every day, I picked up the dancing that I never thought could be mine again. Why I was in the groove once more."

Doris hopes for plenty more dancing in future musicals. "Gene and I are going to keep on as partners," she said. "We're going to meet every day at the studio for a workout. In addition to the tap stuff, we want to develop some ballet choreography. It's going to be great fun."

After winding up her first production number with Gene Nelson, Doris telephoned her close friend, Vera Ellen, to let her in on the news.

"Vera Ellen and I went to dancing school together in Cincinnati," she said. "Gee, it's fun to be back as a dancer again."

Demands Removal
of Secretary
of State Acheson

Los Angeles, Oct. 6 — (AP) — National Commander George N. Craig of the American Legion demands the removal of Secretary of State Dean Acheson on the grounds that he "has lost the confidence of the American people."

Craig, who arrived here yesterday for the Legion's annual convention opening Sunday, said "many resent Acheson's defense of leftists and even persons convicted of perjury."

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War End Not to Change Defense Plan

By ELTON C. FAY
Washington, Oct. 6.—(AP)—An early end of the Korean war may make a difference in how the United States deploys its military force but leave unchanged the program for building that force up to a 3,000,000-man strength.

All evidence today pointed to continuation of the rearmament program, including more in manpower, even if the shooting in the Far East stops soon. Plans reportedly were under serious consideration to boost the air force up to 95 to 110 groups.

President Truman said last week there must be no let-up in the defense program. High military officials since then have told congress the program was planned before hostilities started in Korea and that the war triggered it.

Moreover, Pentagon spokesmen said today that as far as they knew the calling up of reserves and draftees would go ahead without change, whatever happens in Korea.

But cessation of the Korean war would help solve an especially thorny problem for the army. Under the Western European defense project the United States is committed to augmenting its forces there. The army has been faced with the dilemma of finding troops for this purpose, while at the same time meeting the heavy demands of the Korean war. It now has only ten divisions, of which six are in Korea and one in Germany.

To date, army thinking has been along the line that a start on augmenting the European force could be made in one of two ways: By sending a national division they raise questions like this: How long could a guard unit be kept abroad under non-war conditions? What would happen when the service of draftees sent into the unit to build it up to strength expired? Would complaints of discrimination be raised by a state if its guard division was singled out for a long overseas tour of duty?

U. S. Afraid of Guerrilla War in Korea

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
Washington, Oct. 4.—(AP)—The eventuality in Korea which American officials now fear is the breakdown of the Communist army into guerrilla forces which could fight on for months or even years.

Far more serious, of course, would be the direct intervention of Chinese Communist or Russian troops in North Korea, but Washington authorities do not appear to believe that this will take place. On the contrary, there is increasing speculation here that the Russians and Red Chinese will encourage the Korean Reds to convert their country into another Greece or Indo-China. That would mean an indefinite delay in bringing real peace to the peninsula and a prolonged drain on American military strength.

However, the growing power of South Korean forces, with American training and supplies and supported legally and morally as well as in other ways by the United Nations, probably would make it unnecessary for U. S. troops in large numbers to remain in the fight indefinitely.

The threat of guerrilla war is seen by officials here in several recent developments.

The fact that the North Korean command ignored Gen. Douglas MacArthur's request for surrender last week dashed such hopes as there were that the whole force could be taken as a unit and disbanded by the United Nations.

The Korean Reds have continued to fight fiercely and may well maintain that pattern even if they lose control of key points and major transportation routes which an organized army would require for its operations.

Moreover, the mountainous and relatively primitive countryside offers excellent terrain for guerrilla hit-and-run tactics. Besides, guerrilla units presumably would get some support from the population in areas which they dominated.

Another point bearing on the possibility of a development along this line is that the Chinese Reds

THE FORMER MISS FREY

By Edwin Rutt
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ON deck the following morning. Edie learned from the chatter Mrs. Winwood that Gil Summerfield had gone ashore in the small motorboat that the cruiser carried. "He went very early, bag and baggage," Mrs. Winwood said, amplifying her news. "Must have been something pretty important."

"Must have been," agreed Edie. But she wrinkled her forehead, puzzled. It wasn't like Gil to go off without saying goodby to her. Northcott explained blandly, at lunch.

"Mr. Summerfield received an urgent message by radio," he said. "A business matter. It's a shame it had to spoil his week-end."

All afternoon the cruiser slid through a sea calm and still, like blue glass. Reagan, who seemed to be avoiding Edie, occupied his time by fishing with Northcott and Mr. Winwood. It left Edie to the mercy of the ladies and she soon decided that Mrs. Northcott's conversation was almost as trivial as Mrs. Winwood's. As the day wore on, she grew rather bored.

At precisely 5 o'clock, however, the boredom vanished. Mrs. Northcott had gone for a nap and Mrs. Winwood had wandered off to supervise the fishing. Edie escaped to the afterdeck with a novel borrowed from the ship's little library. She had been reading for half an hour when a shadow fell across her book.

She looked up quickly. Lewis Northcott stood there, faintly smiling. "I've been wanting," he said, dropping into a chair next to hers, "to have a little talk with you." Ah, Edie thought, being invited on this cruise was not entirely special. And then something—perhaps it was the little smile curling Northcott's lips—warned her of danger.

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am wondering why you are willing to pay more than the stock is worth."

Northcott said easily, "A buyer's prerogative, for one thing. For another, you do not wish to sell. Therefore, I have to make you a real inducement. For still a third, you can't get anything good in this world without paying for it and, usually, paying high. It's best to tell you that I have—er—associates."

For just a moment Edith Frey was tempted. By pronouncing a word of one syllable, she could rid her life of a lot of annoyances and worry. She could be absolutely free to live as she liked, to go where she would, without strings or anchors. Her lips began to frame the word. But they never uttered it. For, suddenly, she remembered old Cornell Frey, pale and shrunken, lying in the great four-poster bed. Death on the threshold of the room, but his eyes brilliant, intelligent, implacable as ever. "I built up my business and, dead or alive, I want it to go on. And I want it to stay in my own family."

No, she couldn't do it. She couldn't go against a wish expressed like that, and at such a time. It was too much like—like selling her father out.

"It's a wonderful offer, Mr. Northcott," she said. "A very generous one. But"—she shook her head—"the answer is no."

He looked at her almost unbelievably. "Are you sure you're being wise, Miss Frey?" he said. "I'm only doing what I have to do. I'd rather not discuss my reasons."

Northcott had evaded explaining his desire to buy. Why, then, should she explain her refusal to sell? "I suppose, though," she added, "that this will change things a great deal."

"It could," Northcott's eyes were dangerous now. "You refer to the account, of course. Well, I haven't made up my mind yet what I'll do about that." He arose suddenly and leaned over the rail. "I was thinking of something else, Miss Frey."

(To Be Continued)

Probers Seek to Pierce Mobs Secrecy

Chicago, Oct. 6.—(AP)—A U. S. senate crime investigating committee sought today to pierce the veil of secrecy surrounding the ramifications of Chicago's criminal activities.

The committee headed by Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.) after hearing from top law enforcement officials at yesterday's opening session—planned to question a varied assortment of witnesses today.

The committee, however, can't find many of the persons it would like to query about Chicago's crime. Fifty-one persons for whom committee subpoenas have been issued have disappeared. Many of the names on the list are well known in the annals of the old Al Capone gang.

There were several underworld characters at the U. S. courthouse yesterday in answer to summonses to testify. They included two brothers of the late notorious Scarface Al. But none got called. All were told to come back today.

Also ready to testify but not called were lawyers, politicians, accountants and racing news men. They also were ordered to return today.

Gov. Adlai Stevenson was scheduled to be among the first to appear at today's closed hearing before the committee. Kefauver was the only committee member present at yesterday's session. He indicated the closed hearings may continue through Saturday. He said he could not set a date for any public hearings here. He added the committee, which is holding hearings in major cities, expected to be in Philadelphia next weekend.

The committee chairman, in a speech last night before the Illinois State Chamber of Commerce, said recommendations to halt interstate criminal activities will come out of the present inquiry.

"We're not trying to solve crimes here and throughout the country," Kefauver said. "And we aren't naive enough to believe we can stop gambling."

"But some gangsters corrupt officials, enmesh into legitimate business and operate on a national basis. We will make recommendations to the senate for stopping big interstate operations, reducing these activities to the local level."

the Northern Arkansas Rural Committee of the Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP).

The Rev. E. A. Brockmann, county CROP vice-chairman, said if the drive is successful, the car would be dedicated in ceremonies Oct. 22.

The rice would be bought from the Arkansas Rice Growers Cooperative association, which has set a reasonable price on a carload of grain, Mr. Brockmann said.

'Campaign' Backers Tell Truman

Washington, Oct. 6.—(AP)—President Truman, who already has recorded get-out-the-vote speeches for the November congressional elections, will be urged to make a campaign tour of the world situation in Korea will stand for it.

"Anderson is executive vice chairman of the Democratic national committee. He said on a broadcast he would not suggest what states Mr. Truman should visit because 'he showed in 1948 he could do that pretty well himself.'"

The national committee, meanwhile, said the president and cabinet members have recorded talks urging that everyone vote, and that these will be distributed to all radio stations.

Chairman Cuy George Gabrielson of the Republican national committee immediately demanded that any radio stations which use the recordings give equal time to Republicans.

The Wit Watersrand area in South Africa, now a tanning center, had scarcely 50 inhabitants in 1880.

"Our Republican candidates will be prepared to make an equally non-partisan get out the vote" appeal to their constituents," Gabrielson said in a statement.

The Democratic national committee quoted Mr. Truman's recorded talk as saying in part: "Ours is a government of and by and for the people. Our future welfare is in the hands of the voters. Go your duty as free citizens. Go to the polls and vote on election day—vote your convictions, your faith, your hopes. Vote on election day."

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Statement of Condition of THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK Hope, Arkansas At the Close of Business October 4, 1950.

RESOURCES	
Loans	\$ 665,214.86
Furniture and Fixtures	1.00
Other Assets	314.76
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	6,000.00
Bonds and Securities	756,270.25
U. S. Government Bonds	2,603,946.88
Cash and Sight Exchange	1,078,345.46
TOTAL	\$5,110,093.21
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
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PRESCOTT NEWS

The Women's Federation of the Presbyterian church will meet Monday at 2:30 at the church. Mrs. Carl Darymple will conduct the business meeting and Mrs. Joe R. Hamilton will conduct the Bible Study.

Mrs. Charles Pittman is spending several days in Hot Springs visiting Mrs. Ellis Dunn.

Gorz-Kirby
Rev. and Mrs. A. C. Kirby announce the marriage of their daughter, Bobbie, to Sergeant Joseph C. Gorz, son of Mr. Frank Gorz of Chicago, Ill. The wedding was solemnized Sunday afternoon Oct. 1st at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Clinton Kellon.

The bride wore a gray suit with black accessories, and pinned a corsage of white carnations at her shoulder.

After a wedding trip, the couple will be at home at Houston, Texas.

have said they would not sit by and see a friendly country "invaded" by hostile troops—evidently a reference to the crossing of the 38th parallel by United Nations forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Phillips, Margaret Leece, and James Ray, spent Wednesday in Little Rock, and attended the livestock show.

Aircraft Company Agrees to New Wage Increases

Burbank, Calif., Oct. 5.—(AP)—An aircraft company contract that did not have a wage re-opening clause has been scrapped because of "changed economic conditions" and the employees have been given wage increases averaging 10 cents an hour.

The new agreement was announced last night by the management of Lockheed Aircraft Corp., which employs 12,000, and lodge 727 of the International Association of Machinists. The wage increases will cost the company about \$2,500 a year. The old contract had almost a year yet to run.

Cyril Chappellet, company vice president, and John Snyder, union president, said in a joint statement: "We recognize the effect of changed economic conditions since fighting began in Korea and the higher consumer prices that are expected to follow increases already made in the price of materials."

Under the old contract, the average hourly wage was approximately \$1.61. The new contract provides a boost of 6 cents an hour for employees paid \$1.24 or less and six per cent for those paid \$1.25 or more.

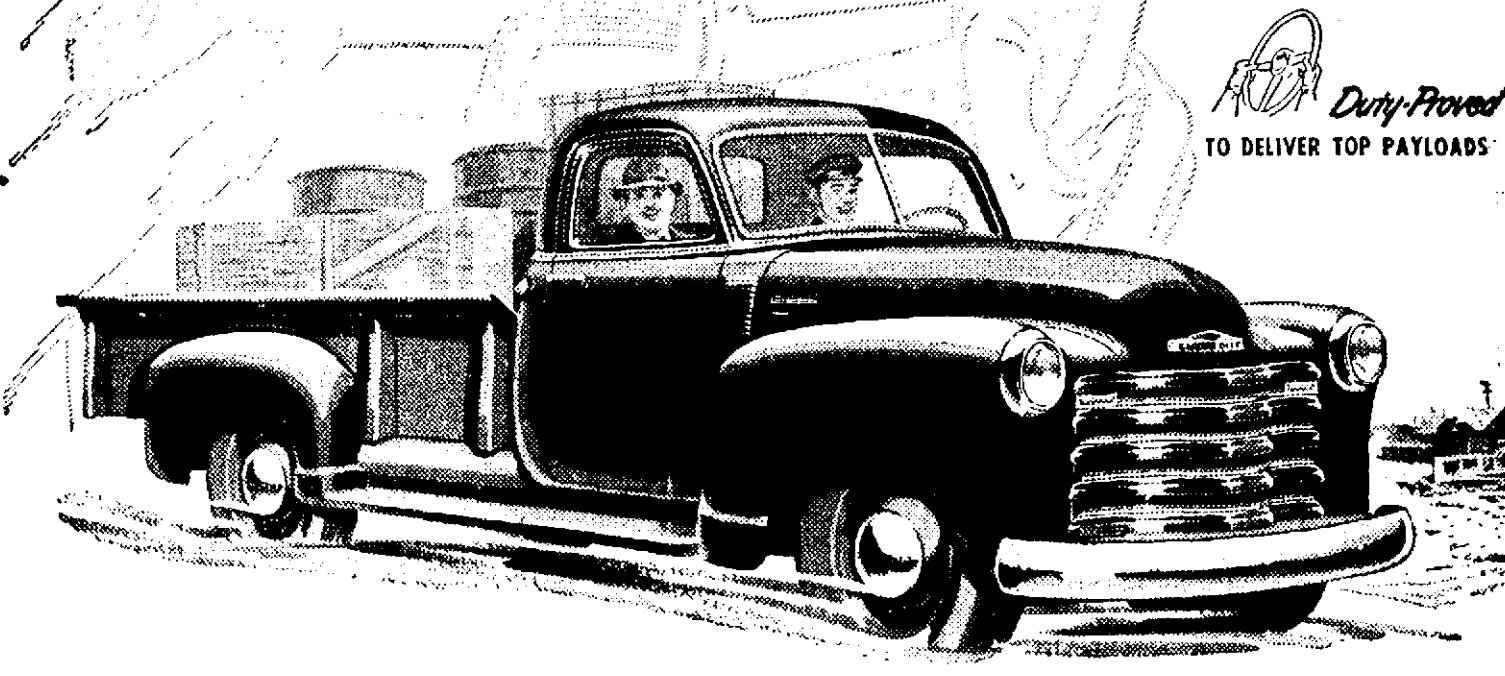
The new agreement will be in effect until Aug. 22, 1952, with a provision for re-opening on wages and August.

The joint statement said other aircraft companies in Southern California are in similar negotiations with their union.

Campaign Opens to Ship Rice to the Needy

Stuttgart, Oct. 6.—(AP)—A campaign for contributions to finance freight charges of rice to feed overseas soldiers is launched here Oct. 15. The drive is to be sponsored by

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United States Bonds	1,500,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	1,287,620.10
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	12,000.00
Cash and Exchange	1,019,537.51
TOTAL	\$4,847,994.70
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Capital Stock	\$ 125,000.00
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